



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Takumi Nonaka
Appl. No. : 10/675029
Filing Date : September 29, 2003
Title : FUEL SYSTEM OF CARBURETOR

Group Art Unit : 1724
Examiner : Richard L. Chiesa

Docket No. : 708493.4010

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

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Sir:

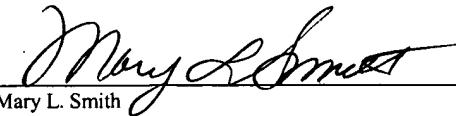
This paper is filed in response to an Office Action dated April 5, 2004. Please amend the subject application as follows:

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37 CFR §1.8

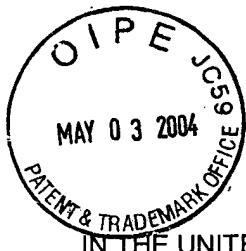
I hereby certify, pursuant to 37 CFR §1.8, that I have reasonable basis to expect that this paper or fee (along with any referred to as being attached or enclosed) would be mailed or transmitted on or before the date indicated with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail on the date shown below in an envelope addressed to the MAIL STOP AMENDMENT, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22315-1450.

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In re Application of:) Group Art Unit: 1724
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For: FUEL SYSTEM OF CARBURETOR)

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Commissioner for Patents
MAIL STOP AMENDMENT
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sirs:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment and Response for the above-identified application.

Applicant(s) petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR § 1.136 [fees: 37 CFR § 1.17(a)(1)-(5)] for the total number of months checked below:

EXTENSION (months)	FEE FOR SMALL ENTITY	FEE FOR OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY
1 month	<input type="checkbox"/> \$55.00	<input type="checkbox"/> \$110.00
2 months	<input type="checkbox"/> \$210.00	<input type="checkbox"/> \$405.00
3 months	<input type="checkbox"/> \$475.00	<input type="checkbox"/> \$950.00
4 months	<input type="checkbox"/> \$745.00	<input type="checkbox"/> \$1,480.00
5 months	<input type="checkbox"/> \$1,005.00	<input type="checkbox"/> \$2,010.00

An extension for _____ months has already been secured and the fee paid therefor of _____ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.
 Extension fee due with this Request: _____
 If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

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(37 C.F.R. §1.8)

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FEES FOR CLAIMS:

Applicant claims small entity status pursuant to 37 CFR 1.27.

The fees for claims (37 CFR § 1.16(b)-(d)) have been calculated as shown below:

Total Claims	10	-	20	=	0	x	\$18.00	\$0.00
Independent Claims	2	-	3	=	0	x	\$86.00	\$0.00
Multiple Dependent Claims	\$290		(if applicable)			<input type="checkbox"/>		\$0.00
TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS								\$0.00
Reduction by ½ for Filing by Small Entity.								0.00
Note 37 CFR §§ 1.9, 1.27, 1.28.								<input type="checkbox"/>
TOTAL FEES FOR CLAIMS SUBMITTED HEREWITH								\$0.00

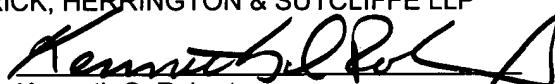
A check in the amount of _____ is enclosed to cover the above fee(s).

Charge Orrick's Deposit Account No. **15-0665** in the amount of \$_____.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge Orrick's Deposit Account No. **15-0665** fees required under 37 CFR §§ 1.16 and 1.17 that are not covered, in whole or in part, by a check enclosed herewith and to credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account **15-0665**.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: April 30, 2004

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